

Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 24 Oct 2021 until 23:59 on Monday 25 Oct 2021

Forecast Issued on Saturday 23 Oct 2021 at 16:16 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for changeable, often windy weather over the next few days. Lower confidence on day to day rainfall details.

Headline for Sunday 24 Oct 2021: Overnight rain quickly clearing then sunny intervals and a few showers. Windy and feeling cold on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 24 Oct 2021

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Heavy Snow

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Gales

Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect

Medium Likelihood

Poor visibility

Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight

No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m

Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
							
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Sunny intervals	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers (night)
Precipitation probability							
70%	70%	40%	20%	40%	30%	30%	30%

Forecast for Sunday 24 Oct 2021

Weather: Overnight rain clearing eastwards during first part of the morning, then a bright day with some sunshine and a few showers. Showers becoming more frequent after dark.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 20% at first, improving 70% during the morning.

Visibility: Patches of poor visibility in rain at first with clouds well down the hills. The visibility will improve very good from the west during the morning with clouds lifting and breaking up.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	41/52 S	39/50 S	35/45 S	37/48 S	35/46 SW	35/46 SW	38/49 S	37/49 SW	35/47 SW
900	29/40 S	27/38 S	26/36 SW	27/38 SW	26/36 SW	26/36 SW	28/39 S	27/39 SW	27/38 SW
600	38/48 S	36/45 S	32/41 SW	34/45 S	29/39 SW	31/41 SW	34/44 S	31/41 SW	29/40 SW
300	20/31 S	18/28 S	16/27 S	19/30 S	18/29 S	17/29 S	18/31 S	17/29 SW	17/29 SW
Glen	13/27 S	13/27 S	14/28 S	15/30 S	15/30 SW	14/29 S	14/31 S	14/30 SW	14/28 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	5/-2	4/-3	4/-2	4/-3	3/-4	3/-4	2/-5	2/-5	1/-7
900	7/1	6/1	6/1	6/1	6/1	6/0	5/-0	5/-1	3/-3
600	9/4	9/4	9/4	9/4	8/4	8/3	8/3	7/2	6/0
300	11/7	10/7	11/8	11/7	11/8	10/7	10/6	9/6	8/4
Glen	12/10	12/10	12/10	12/10	13/10	13/10	12/9	11/8	10/7
Freezing Level*	2200m	2100m	1900m	1800m	1700m	1600m	1700m	1600m	1400m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Milder conditions at lower levels but still feeling very cold over tops with strong winds and temperatures of only 4 to 6 Celsius.

Forecast for Monday 25 Oct 2021

Weather: Another bright day with some sunshine and scattered showers. The showers will be most frequent in the morning, becoming fewer and lighter in the afternoon.

Maximum wind: Strong to gale force southwest winds on the tops. Average speeds 30 to 40mph and gusts 50mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 60%

Visibility: Very good visibility between showers with occasional cloud cover about 700 to 800m, more extensive as showers pass by.

Temperature: **Glens:** 5 Celsius rising to 12 Celsius.

At 800m: Plus 5 Celsius.

Freezing level: Above the summits.